

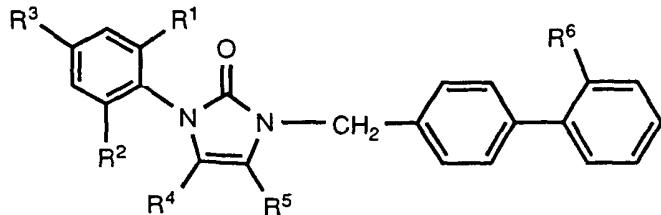
1-PHENYL-IMIDAZOL-2-ONE BIPHENYLMETHYL COMPOUNDS FOR
TREATMENT OF CIRCULATORY DISORDERS

ABSTRACT

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A class of 1-phenyl imidazol-2-one biphenylmethyl compounds is described for use in treatment of circulatory disorders. Compounds of particular interest are angiotensin II antagonists of the

10 formula



wherein each of R¹, R² and R³ is independently selected
15 from hydrido, alkyl, alkoxy, cyano, halo, hydroxy, carboxyl, alkoxy carbonyl, formyl and acetyl; alkyl carbonyl and halo alkyl carbonyl; with the proviso that at least one of R¹, R² and R³ must be a substituent other than hydrido, and with the further proviso that
20 when each of R¹ and R³ is hydrido, then R² cannot be chloro; wherein R⁴ is hydrido; wherein R⁵ is alkyl; and wherein R⁶ is tetrazolyl; or a stereoisomer or a tautomer thereof or a pharmaceutically-acceptable salt thereof. These compounds are particularly useful in treatment or
25 control of hypertension and congestive heart failure.